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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRI-

DAY, the 15th SEPTEMBER, at 4 o'clock P.B.,

for the purpose of presenting the Report of the

Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th

will be CLOSED from the 2nd to the 15th

By Order of the Board of Directors.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE.

New Shares standing in the same name remain

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THE Undersigned will sell by PUBLIC

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TO-DAY, the 9th SEPTEMBER, 1893.

at 2.30 P.M.,

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Lot 6.—'The tenement, No. 198, Queen's Road

Lot 7.—The tenement, No. 200, Queen's Road

Lot 8.—The tenament, No. 202, Queen's Road

Lot 9 .- The tenement, No. 204, Queen's Road

Lot 10.—The tenement, No. 206, Queen's

Hongkong, 6th September, 1893.

VICTOR H. DEACON

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Solicitor,

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Hongkong, 8th September, 1893.

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By Order,

Hongkong, 11th April, 1893.

W. H. RAY

R. LYALL,

Secretary.

April last, and of declaring Dividends.

Hongkong, 25th August, 1893.

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NEW ADVERT SEMENT'S. NOTICE. THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND

COMPANY, LIMITED. No. 7. D'AGUILAR STREET, HONGKONG, OR contained in Labran Ordinance No. II. of 1878. SATURDAY, the 28rd instant, at Noon, for indepted in British North Bornee, and in Notithe purpose of receiving the Directors' Report fication No. 111 of 1889.

business to 30th June, and electing Directors Regulations are as follows:and Auditor for the ensuing year. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company 6 8 0 10 -- 3 will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th inst., inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

R. C. BURLEY. Secretary. Hongkong, 9th September, 1893 DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S other-Wines, Beer, and Spirituous Liquors. NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report Farmer. In North Bornoo the Farm is goof the General Managers, together with a verned by Proclamations Nos. VIII. of 1889. X. Statement of Accounts to 30th JUNE, 1893. will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 23rd IV. of 1868 and III. of 1871. SEPTEMBER, both days inclusive.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 9th September, 1893. RONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ORPS ORDERS by the Acting Comman. | ance No. | of 1872, and Proclamation No. V. of dant:-No. 26.-FIELD BATTERY-Special Drills, 5.-THE GAMBLING RESTRICTION FARM. 64 pr. R. M.L. Gun, f r NON-COMMISSION-ED OFFICERS, will take place at MUBRAY license others to keep Gambling Houses, and to BATTERY on TUESDAY, the 12th inst., at 5.15 issue permits to Gamble." P.M., and on FRIDAY, the 15th inst., at 9 p.m.

F. JERRARD. Acting Commandant. Hongkong, 9th September, 1893. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAIWANFOO. THE Company's Steamship

"THALES! Captain Hodgins, will be despatched for the above Duties on all jungle and sea produce, the same Ports, on SUNDAY, the 10th inst., at DAY- as for East Coast District. Import Duties on LIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managera. Hongkong, 8th September, 1893. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA TION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIG EES. FROM SHANGHAI AND KOBE. F HE Company's Steamship

ORION having arrived. Consignees of Cargo are hereby their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be 191 of 1890. sent in to the undersigned before Noon on THURSDAY, the 14th instant, or they will not

be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 14th instant will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

C. ZANELLA. Hongkong, Sth September, 1893.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

FFBE 100 Al Steel 4-Masted Ship "BOMALI,". will load here for the above port, and will have

For Freight apply to MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 9th September, 1893. NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the TRADE MARKS of the MAN LOONG (1827-1871) FIRM. Manufacturers of PRESERVED GINGER and other SWEETMEATS, have been registered in this Colony pursuant to Ordinance No. 16 of 1873. Head Office: HONAM. CANTON. Hougkong

Office: No. 376, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Managers: - { LEUNG YU SANO. WONG HOI CHOW. Hongkong, 2th January, 1893 NOTICE.

NOTICE is bereby given, that the TRADE MARKS of the SAM SHING (22 =) FIRM Manufacturers of PRESERVED GINGER and other SWEETMEATS, have the Colony of Lisbuan as regards Opium only. been registered in this Colony pursuant to Ordinance No. 16 of 1873. Head Office: HONAM, CANTON. Hongkong

Agency: No. 376, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. (LEUNG YU SANG, Managers :- WONG HOI CHOW Hongkong, 9th January, 1893 PILOTAGE IN JAPAN WATERS.

KAYA (Japanese subject), Licensed Coast and Inland Sea Pilot, between be under Seal and marked "Confidential Tender Gulf of Tokyo and Kuchinotzu via Inland Sea and Nagasaki. Holds London Master's Certifiosto of Competency and also Japanese Master's Certificate of Competency. Ten years' command Kyodo and Nippon Yusen Kuisha Ships and Seven years' experience of Inland Sea. 93, Shichichome Shimsyamate-dori, Kobe,

NOTICE.

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FINHIS is to give Notice that the Captain o the ship Bomali will not be responsible ing, and give similar information as to the profor any. Debts whatever, incurred by ANDERE JOHAN CHRISTIAN HANSEN, apprentice on board the above-named ship, who has absented himself without leave on several occasions. J. McGILL,

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> BRITISH NORTH BORNEO GOVERNMENT. REVENUE FARMS FOR 1894.

INTIMATIONS

THE GOVERNMENT are prepared to re-Deive TENDERS for the following FARMS for 1894 : ---

1-THE EXPORT OPIUM FARM. Including the coloright to import raw Opium for the purpose of manufacturing for export only, for a term of years as may be agreed upon. The Form will be subject to such Rules and Regulations as the Government may from time

2.—The Opium Farm. Including the sole right to import raw or manufactured Opium for consumption in the Colony of Labuan and its Dependencies, and in the State or District of British North Borneo NARY GENERAL MEETING of sell, and, or, to license others to prepare and SHAREHOLDERS in the above-named Com- sell, Opium, Chandu, and Opium Dross.

pany will be held in the COMPANY'S OFFICE, The Regulations governing the Farm are

and a Statement of Accounts of the Company's The maximum retail prices allowed by the

Taels. Chees. Roous. 8 c. Not more than ... 0.50 \$270 Chees can be prepared from one Ball raw Opium. 1 Ball......40.—]

3.-THE SPIRIT LICENSE FARM. Including the sole right to import and to sell, and, or, to license others to import and sell Chinese Wines and Spirituous Liquors of Chi-THE ORDINARY GENERAL MEET- ness manufacture, and the sole right to sell, and ING or SHAREHOLDERS in the issue retail and wholesale lipenses to sell all OFFICES, on SATURDAY, the 23rd inst, at All import duties are payable to the Customs of 1890, I. of 1893 and Notification 24 of 1893 The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company and in Labuan by Ordinances Nos. IV. of 1850

> 4-THE PAWNBEOKING FARM. Including the sole right to keep and or to license others to keep Pawnbroking Establish-

The Farm is governed by Labuan Ordinance No. III. of 1868 as amended by Labuan Ordin-1883 and Notification No. 131 of 1889. Including the sole right to keep and, or, to

The Farm is governed by Proclamation No. VIII. of 1891 and Notification No. 98 of 1891. It does not extend to Labour or Tawso.

6.—THE CUSTOMS FARM. Including the sole right to collect all Import and Export Duties payable to Government, viz: -On the East Coast (excluding Tawso, which has no Import or Export Duties Export duties on Rattan, Gutta, Wax, Birds nests, Timber and all jungle and sea produce. Import Duties on Tobacco, Spirits, Salt, Malohes, Kerosine and Brassware, . c. On the West Coast-Export Salt. Spirits. Tobacco, Matches, Iron, Brass, Kerosine Oil and Cloth, &c. Royalty on Manufactured products is not included unless specially agreed. This Farm does not extend to Labuan.

7.—THE BLACHAN FAILM. Including the sole right to catch shrimps and to manufacture Blachan, and, or, to license others to catch shrimps and to manufacture Blachan. 8-THE BIRDS'-NESTS FARM, DARVEL BAY. Including the sole right to collect the Go-

vernment Share of 10 % on all nests from Madai and Segalong Caves. 9.-THE MARKET DUES FARM. Including the sole right to collect the Market

Dues of 10 % on Fish under Proclamation No. X. of 1891 and Notification No. 131 of 1891. 10.-THE WHARF DUES FARM. Including the sole right to collect the Go vernment Wharf dues under Notification No.

11.-THE TODACCO FARM. For Labuan only under the same regulations

12.—THE SPIRIT FARM. For Labuan only under the same regulations as for 1893.

A separate Tender must be submitted for each

of the above Farms. Each tender may be for one or more of the following Districts or places, and if the Farm of more than one of the Districts or places mentioned is applied for, a separate Tender should be submitted for District or place; viz :1.—The whole State of British North Borneo, extending from Sipitong River in Padas Bay on the West Coast, to Brurshuk Point Sibuko Bay.

the East Coast, and also the Colony of Labuan and its Dependencies, as regards the Opium Farm only. 2.-The East Coast District from Tanjong Instattang to Brurshuk Point Sibuko Bay, including Darvel, Labuk, Sugut and Sandakan Bays, Kinabatangan, Segama and all rivers

within the District. 3.—The Simporna District from Simporna to 4.—The West Coast District, from Paitan on the North to Sipitong on the South including Banguey and Balambangan Islands and also the Colony of Labuan as regards Opium only.

5 .- Kudat District from Paitan to Sampang mangio Point including all Rivers in Marndu Bay and the Islands of Banguey and Balam-6.—Gaya District from Sampangmangio Point to Bangawan River including Tampassuk, Abai,

Ambong, Sulaman, Tuaran Gaya Bay, Putatan, Papar, Kimanis and all rivers south to and including Bangawan. 7.—Padas District from Kwala Penyo (inoluding Pulan Tega) to Sipitong including Kliss, Padas-Damit, Padas-Besar and all Rivers south to and including Sipitons; also including

8,-The Colony of Labuar and its Dependenoies for the Opium Farm only. Each tender should state the monthly pay ments for the year 1893. Tenders for the Opium. Farm for the whole State and the Colony of Labuan, or for the East Coast District and for the Spirit, Pawnbroking, Gambling Restriction and Customs Farms, East Coast or Sandakan, will be received by the Secretary to the Governor, Sandakan, on or before 30th November. All tenders should

for Revenue Farms." Tenders for the Farms for separate Provinces. such as Kudat, Gaya, Pades, Darvel Bay or Labuan will be received by the Officer-in-Charge of the Province or Colony on or before 15th November and forwarded to the Secretary to the Governor to reach him on or before 30th

November. The Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender. Each tender should specify in full the names, re-idences, and occupation of the persons tender-

posed securities. Persons who do not wish to tender in their own names may use a number of not less than I figures; but those doing so should send their true names with the number, used in a separate Envelops marked "Private" to the Governor at Government House.

All Farms are subject to the Laws and Reculations now in force, or which may from time to time be enacted or issued by Government con-2 dos | cerning the same. Any further information on the subject may be obtained from the Treasurer-General, Sandakan, or from the Officers in Charge of the different Districts or Stations and from the Com-

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REDUCED to its elementary principle international law is simply the right of the strongest. For purposes of mutual convenience nations of something like equal power may, in order to avoid armed conflicts whose issue would be uncertain, or for the adjustment of minor questions that neither party really thinks worth ning prayer and sermon; preacher Rev. A. G. fighting about, agree to settle their differences by reference to more or less established precedents, and where they cannot agree between themselves as to the principles governing the case, may consent to arbitration. as England and America have twice done. But had either England or America been so much stronger than the other as to be able to enforce her will without difficulty it is safe to say that no call would have been made upon the services of a court of arbitration. England would not consent to refer Siam's offer to submit the questions at issue

to arbitration was not so much as considered

by France. Just as in private life it is the

man with the long purse who alone can

afford to fee the best lawyers to argue donbtful case for him and carry it if necessary from one court to another, so in international life it is the country with the big battalions that can most effectively take advantage of the established principles, such as they are, of international law, when they tell in its own favour, while denying the at 8 p.m. :application of the same principles when they seem to tell in favour of a weaker state. But in the dealings of the strong with the Selection (Scotch) "The Jacobite" weak it may happen that third parties find compel them to use their influence in favour of moderation on the part of the stronger their own interests. It has been so concern with the dispute between the two nations, but that England has certain interests in Siam which must be respected. Siam, in short, is to be preserved as a buffer state between English and French possessione. So long as the integrity of Siam arranged in the district where the English.

quarrel.

apply further coercion to Siam. The point! The Kobe Chronick gives the following we refer to is that of the blockade of Bangkok. France did- not declars war on Sam, nor is she likely to do so even if the latter power refuses assent to all the terms of M. La Myre DR VILERS' treaty. The infliction of reprisals is as far as she would go under any circumstances, and although the distinction between reprisals and war may be one without a difference so for as the contestants are concerned the difference is an important one

as affecting the rights of third parties. A blockade under such circumstances VEGETABLE & FLOWER SEEDS is what is called a pacific blockade. The Speciator in discussing the notification of the recent blockade, before it came into force, eays that by establishing a pacific blockade the blocksding power does not acquire anything like the same rights over neutral sailors in sampans and attacked them so savageressels which she would acquire by proclaiming an ordinary blockade after a formal declaration of war. "The declaration of war " makes other nations privy to the relations " existing between the belligerents, puts them

" into the position of neutrals, and makes them liable to capture if they attempt " to break the blockade. The case of a pacific blockade is, however, different. It speaking broadly, only good against the vessels of the Power bleckaded, and neu-" trals are not bound to attend to it." supporting this opinion our contemporary quotes a declaration of the Institut de Droit International at its meeting in 1887, and also from a letter by Professor HOLLAND, in

the Times, in which that writer says :-Or is France still at peace with Siam, and merely putting upon her that form of pressure which is known as '' pacific blockade?'

In this case, since there is no belligoroney, there is no neutrality, and the ships of States other than that \$4.00 | to which the pressure is being applied are not liable to be interfered with. The particular mode of applyblockade" dates, as is well known, only from 1827. It has indeed been enforced, by England as well as by France, upon several occasions, against the vessels of third Powers; but this practice has always been protested against, especially by French jurists, as an unwarrantable interference with the rights of such Powers, and was acknowledged by Lord Palmerst n two wins. It is probable that another match will whether he was a fit and proper person to hold to be illegal. The British Government distinctly werned the French in 1884 that their blockade a Formosa could be recognized as affecting British vessels only if it constituted an act of war against China; and when the Great Powers in 1886 pro-claimed a pacific blockade of the consts of Greece they carefully limited its operation to ships under the Greek flag.

remembered that the French might declare that they would not be bound by a set of mere technical cobwebs and might give hama and Kobe is to be played at the latter notice to the Powers that they intended to act just as if war had been declared. Such two Japanese rivals The Kobe Regatta will a notification would, our contemporary save, constitute a condition of belligerancy quite be an excellent thing if the V.R.C. could send as effectively as any formal declaration of war. Certain it is that France intended to enforce the blockade as against neutral vessels, had it been maintained, as she did the blockade of Formosa. The question is whether England would consent to see of the threatening typhoon a large number her trade thus interfered with and one of the principal sources of the rice supply of Singapore and Hongkong closed to her. Since Siam draws all her essential supplies from the interior a blockade of Bangkok would do her comparatively little harm, less harm, probably, than it would do to British trade in the Far East. The idea of being able to do a wanton injury to British were among the speakers and a very pleasant trade without fear of retaliation would no doubt be very pleasant to the French, but

The P. & O. steamer Shanghai left Sings for this port on the 7th inst. at 3 p.m. The steamer Catherine Appar from Calcutte left Singapore for this port yesterday.

come necessary for England to ignore the

bound by it.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamers Orestes and Titan he expected here on or about the 14th inst. To-morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30

o'clock, the steam launch Dayspring, carrying the Bethel flag, will call alongside any vessel heisting code pennant C., to convey men ashore to 11 am. service at St Peter's | Seamen's Church, returning about 12.30.

School and Orphanage will be held in St. Peter's has accommodation for fifty passengers. (Seamen's) Church to-morrow:-11 a.m., mor-Goldsmith, M.A. 6.3) p m. evening prayer and sermon; preacher the Right Rev. Bishop Bur.

The Kagoshima Shimbun reports that a child born in Hatamura, of Saga ken, has the face of a devil, or One. There are two horns behind the ears; the colour of the hair is brownish red The unfortunate infant has only one leg, but the foot has the full number of ten toes. The two arms are each about two feet long.

On arrival at Vanconver, on August 2nd Captain Frazier, of the American barque St. Katherine, reported very rough weather in the Central Pacific recently. He gave it as his opinion that the British ship Blair Athole, 150 to arbitration all her little frontier difficulties | days from Samarang with sugar for Vancouver, in India, and in the Franco-Siamese dispute had foundered. The general idea is that she

The Japanese cotton spinners are developing their organisation rapidly, and are striving to force all importers of Bombay cottons to join their ranks. We (Hyogo News) have explained their understanding with the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, but two vessels instead of one will probably be put on the Indian line at once.

Temma Spinning Company and the Naigai Wata Kaisha (Osaka) are trying to induce foreign merchants to combine with the native association. The Band of the 1st Shropshire Light Infan-

" Patience Sir A. Sullivan. Marziale. Ducalossi. their interests affected in such a way as to Polas "Camarade" Waldteufel. Fare,

A rather extensive theft was committed on Harbour presented as almost desolate appearance Thursday morning by two coolies in the employ of All the junks and sampans had left for the abelpower, not out of any friendliness to the Mr. R. M. Mehta. This gentleman went into the tered bays, and most of the steamers in the port weaker, but simply for the protection of bathroom to perform his ablutions and was only proceeded to safe auchorages. The men-of war absent about ten minutes, but, on his return he struck their topmasts early and even the Peak discovered that his gold watch and chain and a signalman deemed it advisable to take in his top England has declared that she has no his wardrobe. The coolies, who were employed the day by the Observatory: about the house as well as to run a 'ricksha, were 10.15 n.m. : "Gun fired one round. Strong missing, and no trace has yet been found of their N.E. gale expected in Hougkong. Earometer whereabouts by the police, who were immediate: falling. High sea. Weather squally and wet. ly informed of the loss.

learn that the socident to the Wayn mare was On enquiry by telephone at 9 p.m. last night not as serious as at first reported, and that not we were informed by Dr. Doberok that the more than thirty-eight lives were lost. The typhoon was approaching and the barometer reproper is preserved and a neutral zone boiler of the steamer did not, it appears, ex. gistered 29.22. From that hour up to the time plode, but the vessel capsised in consequence of of going to press (midnight) the wind has insome rough weather experienced. She is an old creased somewhat in force and is now blowing a and French possessions come into contiguity, wooden vessel, and last year was prohibited by moderate gale. England is willing to stand out of the the Marine Bureau from running in the open | Telegrams were received from Swatow yessea, her journeys being afterwards confined to terday to the effect that bad weather prevailed the strait between Note-jims and the mainland. there. There is, however, one point upon which On her last ill-sterred trip, however, when she

pathetic incident of the recent floods :- On the 25th ult, while the floods at Gifu were at their worst, a woman was discovered floating down the river clinging firmly to a clothes chest. Sho was resoned, but was so exhausted that she could not speak. She was able to point to the box, however, and upon opening one of the drawers Burone His Honour Mr. Figurine Clarks, the resoners discovered a little buby quite uninjured, no water having got into the box. The near mother, as she was surmised to be, died shortly afterwards without being able to state who she was or where she had some from.

A serious affray occurred in Yokohuma the other evening between sailors of the Natal and hands employed at the French Hatoba. Two the former are in hospital, and will be detainedone a week probably, and the other three week Four sendos are under arrest, one of them also suffering from severe wounds. It is stated that several of the natives were engaged to take some birds to the Natal, and that through carelessness they lost them. This enraged the sailors and they seem to have beaten a wrong man. Retaliation followed, the natives pursued the ly that one jumped overboard and the other was left senseless in the boat. The former was rescued only just in time.

great success of last meeting.

were :- English .- Mr. S. J. Hanish (Captain), Mr. O. Wegener, Mr. G. Diessel, and Mr. H. they therefore contended that the Justices had uhrssen. This victory for the German Club only power to enquire into the personal characmakes the score equal, each Club having secured | ter of the person applying, and to determine be played shortly.

We understand that Mr. E. A. Ram, Hon. nance specially mentioned the qualification of the Secretary of the Hongkong Cricket Club, is applicant being a "fit and proper" person, but of an eleven to be farnished by Shang to extend that power: But, as the Spectator remarks, it must be hai, to do battle with the cricketers of between the combined teams of Hongkong plications." What shall they take into consideraand Shanghai against a combination of Yoke- tion port about October 12th and that it will be be held on the 14th of next month and it would ID a crew to represent the rowing prowess of the colony and wipe out the defeat of last year.

> the twenty-fifth anniversary of the introduction of the o'der into England vesterday. The elements were most uppropitious for the picnic which had been arranged, but in spits were conveyed in two launches as far as Aberdeen Bay after tiffin. The sea was very rough and the elements generally so uncongenial that an early start was made for home. A meat ten in the most approved style was served at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Institute to which about 150 sat down. After the repast, which was much enjoyed. a meeting was held at which addresses were delivered interspersed with songs and instrumental selections. Lieut. Colonel Robinson, Rev. W. Mussou, and Lieut. Meynet! evening was spent.

There were two launches on the Clyde on if it were acted on too strongly it might be. Saturday, says Transport of the 4th ult. was of the Colony, a steel screw steamer, built by the London and Glasgow Engineering and blockade and declare that she would not be fron Shipbuilding Company, Limited, Govan, for the China Mutual Steam Navigation Company. Limited. The dimensions of the vessel are as follow : Length, 360 feet ; breadth, 44 feet ; and left Singapore vesterday morning, and both may | number, each having three furnaces, the working pressure being 160 lbs.; they will be worked by Howden's system of forced draught, which is arranged on the most approved method. Messre Caird and Co., Limited, Greenook, also launched s n'vel sorew steamer named the Japan for the Peninsular and Oriental Company. She is a vessel of 4,300 tons gross, with a carrying capacity of 5.500 tons. She is fitted up with all the most approved appliances for handling the cargo, The annual services on behalf of the Diocesan furnished throughout with electric light, and

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS"! LONDON, 7th September. THE ST. LEGER. Mr. H. McCalmont's " Isinglass." Mr. Rose's "Ravensbury."

Baron de Rothschild's "Le Nicham." THE STRIKE IN WALES. The strike in South Wales is ended. HOME RULE BILL IN THE LORDS.

The Duke of Argyll in a scathingly severe speech condemned the Government and charged them with bartering the empire for a handful of

Viscount Cross opposed the Bill.

THE TYPHOON.

The chief topic of conversation yesterday and up to a late hour last night was the typhoon. which the black cone hoisted all day indicated sidered it. to be within 300 miles of the colony. The Observatory notices as they appeared were try will play the following programme at the scanned with interest, not to say anxiety, while Mount Austin Hotel this evening, commencing the barometer has probably not been tapped for a long time so often in the course of twelve hours as it was yesterday. As the glass went down steadily the opinion became general that typhoon more or less severe would visit Hong- a partial mind. It is not so much the fact kong and the threatening appearance of the sky opposing as the fact of having lent support to corroborated the warnings which the Meteoro, an opposition which is evidence of a partial mind at Tui-pung creek. The robbers, numbering the lower half of a smoked cigar, if left on a fact by the old conventions have avoided the tylogical Department issued. In the afternoon the and of a biased opinion.

4 p.m :- The centre of the typhoo has turned more to the northward and is approach-It is reassuring, says the Kolie Chronicle, to ing a point on the coast near Hongkong,"

SUPREME COURT ----Stil September.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

CHIEF JUSTICE. EX PARTE A. OLDFIELD .- THE BUFFET This was the ex parte hearing of a motion or bohalf of Alexander Oldfield to call upon the

natices of the Peace to show cause why a writ

of runndamus should not be issued." Mr. J. J. Francis (instructed by Mr. H. V Deacon) appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Francis said that the application was for rule nest addressed to the Police Magistrate and the Justices of the Peace calling upon them to show cause why a writ of mandamus should not be issued under the provisions of Ordinance 12 of 1886 to hear and determine according to law the application of Alexander Oldfield for a spirit icence for the " Buffet," to be established on the plat.orm floor of Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co.'s S5. Paid. premises at the trainway terminus. After directing His Lordship's attention to the various sed. tions of the Ordinance, Mr. Francis said that the The Gymkhana which is fixed to be held this application of Alexander Oldfield was sent in due day for inight promises some good sport, an course to the Magistrate and advertised in the interesting programme having been ar anged. Gazette and one local paper. A meeting was also finery was standing with a friend near Tank The match between Mr. Hough on a China advertised to take place on a certain, day, but for Lane on the evening of the 7th, discussing the pony and Mr. Landale on "Shanks" pony the convenience of Justices who wished to attend situation, when another coolin came up armed ought to be very amusing, especially as it is for the date was altered and the meeting held on a with a large piece of wood and proceeded, withno less a sum than a lakh of dellars a side! subsequent day. At that meeting some 33 or 31 out any provocation, to violently assent him There is also to be a ? mile race for ponies that Justices attended, and the Police Magistrate, Mr. Having done as much damage to his defenceless have not won a sace of any description of a mile H. E. Wodehouse, presided. Mr. Denconappeared viotim as he desired he took flight, but the latter or over during this or last year. Tilting at the on behalf of the applicant. (The affidavit of Mr. gave obset, and in Lasonr Row the jemadbar of ring is a novelty, but the piece de resistance is Deacon setting out the circumstances of the the Police was able to arrest his assailant. the 12 mile race for all China ponies for a new | meeting was here put in.) Mr. Francis proceeded trophy, the Ewo Cup. This is sure to arouse's to give an indication of the complaints they ably damaged. lot of interest. Altogether, with the two foot made against the proceedings at that meeting. races, there is a prospect of a repetition of the They contended in the first place that there was not a hearing of the application according to law. and it was not in accordance with law for two A bowling match between the representatives reasons. The first of those reasons was that no of the English and German Clubs-was concluded der the Ordinance the Justices had no power or hast night and resulted in a victory for the anthority whatever to enter into any matter ex-Fatherland by 379 points. A great deal of copt the personal character of the applicant, to interest was taken in the play and some good which at the meeting no objection had been taken. individual scores were recorded. The teams The local Ordinance differed materially from the Imperial Act, in which the Justices were given Mr. A. M. Marshall, Mr. F. Maitland, Mr. W. a wide power to enquire into the general de-C. Murray, Mr. F. C. Murray, Mr. C. M. Firth, sirability or necessity of the house for which the ing pressure without going to war known as "pacific Mr. C. F. Harton, and Lieut Jordan. German- applicant applied." Whether intentionally or Mr. G. P. Lammert (Captain), Mr. R. Spannuth, unintentionally the provisions of this nature Mr. E. Bischoff, Mr. Botel, Mr. C. H. Lammert, had been left out of the Ordinance here, and

> arranging to send six lossl wielders of the did not stipulate anything else. There was willow from this colony to join the remainder | nothing in the Ordinance to operate in any way His Lordship-In section 10 it says that the Japan. A contemporary says that the match Justices "shall take into consideration all ap-

the licence which he applied for. The cor-

ificates in the schedule attached to the Ordi

Mr. Francis-That, my Lord, is precisely similar to the provision at home at common law Parade ground about 7 30 a.m. on the 8th watchor by statue, that the Justices of Assize shall try ing with interest the drill of the soldiers. His or discharge all prisoners in gaol. It imposes on shoes were on the ground below the rail, and

His Lordship-It may be open to that construction. You mean that the section merely The local branch of the I.O.G.T. colebrated | empowers the Justices to hear the application ? Mr. Francis-Yes, and to hear all applications pending at the time. Our second point, my Lord-and-by far the most important point with reference not merely to this present case but to all future cases, is our objection to the constitution of the Court, on the ground that certain of the Magistrates who were present and who adjudicated on this application were biassed against the application, and were persons opposing the granting of the application. If we can addace sufficient proof of their bias, then, according to all rules of law, they were disqualified from sitting on that bench of Justices. It has always been laid down that pocuniary interest disqualifies a person from exercising a judicial function, or the presence of any direct evidence of bius. In this case there has been no question of pecuniary interest, and therefore we have only to show that there was a bias existing. The facts of the matter are that there was undoubtedly a Street and arrested the keeper and four strong opposition against this application by many | putron, sees of the establishment. The principal of the residents at the Peak, and Mr. Granville offender was flued \$25, or two months, and the Sharp, a Justice of the Peace, took an active rest 33 each, or fourteen days: part in the matter. He draw up a petition to be addressed to the Police Magistrate opposing the granting of this application, and he personally depth of hold, 29 feet 6 inches. She is of tices of the Peace to sign the petition. At a it is hoped, he and his fraternity will remain. 5.720 tons capacity, and has been specially certain point of the proceedings be found that designed and constructed for the China trade, this was a course to which objection might be The engines also supplied by the builders, taken and which might render irregular the proare of the triple-compound type, having cylinders ceedings before the Justices at the moeting. 245 inches, 39 inches, and 64 inches diameter Then the petition which had been signed by 48 inches stroke. The boilers are two in by so many people disappeared and has not since been heard of. Another petition, however, in precisely similar terms, was prepared and signed by about 44 or 45 persons, though been reported not by any who actually constituted the licensing session. Mr. Granville Sharp and Mr. fall the officials in the city went to His Excellency's

May, the Captain Superintendent of Police, to say nothing of anyone else, were present at the with the other Justices when the Court was cleared on two cocasions during the proceedings. against the constitution of the Court and once Sharp in the Justices' room, is quite sufficient observations on the road and finished his journey to render null and void the whole proceedings, in exactly a morth's time. because it is clear that the Court must be con- repairs at Chang-chow stituted of unprejudiced persons, unbiassed one A fortnight ago a junk, while sailing near No objection can be taken unless there is proof of bias and the first thing which your Lord.

ship has to consider is whether there is sufficient evidence to show that at least Mr. Granville against and opposing the application. Mr. Manoell were read. Mr. Francis-I submit, my lord, that there is quite sufficient evidence to show that Mr. Granville Sharpe and at least two or three other-

Justices were engaged in opposition to this application and were bissned when they con-His Lordship - As fegards the other Justices you say that there was another petition which was withdrawn P 🕓

Mr. Francis-It was never presented opposition before the hearing of the application does that disqualify them?

Mr. Francis-It is not, my lord, a question of opposition: it is the evidence of the existence (In the course of some further argument Mr.

Francis contended that it was clear that several of the Justices had been acting together for the purpose of opposing the granting of this licence Is submitted that it was sufficient for him to prove that Mr. Sharp at 1 Mr. May went to the meeting with a preconceived opposition to the application, in order to annul the whole proceedings. Before concluding Mr. Francis asked his tordship to permit him to amend his application by asking for a writ of certiorari as well as a mandamus.

His Lordship granted the rule for a mandamus

CATARBH, HAY FEVER, CATARRHAL DEAF-NESS.—A NEW HOME TREATMENT.—Sufferers are not generally aware that these diseases are contagious, or that they are due to the presence the nose and eastachian tubes.

Microsocopic research; however, has proved

POLICE COU**RT**.

8th September. BREORE COMMANDER W. C. H. HASTINGS.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS. Three beatman were fined \$15 for ordelly litresting some cows of which they were in charge on the 8th inst.

PUBLIC NUISANCES. Pang can Kong, the occupier of 252, Queen's Road West, was charged with allowing an accumultion of offensive matter to remain exposed.

therely causing a nuisance, in front of his pre-J. J. Cleriber, Inspector of Nuisances, proved

Inspector Grimble charged Kwong Chenng, he tenant of No. 40, Praya Coutral, with placing baskets of salt fish on the public pathway, thereby causing a nuisance, on the 7th inst. Defendant admitted the offence and was fined

Two other Praya Central, dealers were fined a like amount for a similar offence.

A coolie employed at the Taikoo Sugar Re Complainant appeared in Court very consider.

His Worship sentenced the defendant to four months' imprisonment with hard labour.

HE WAS HUNGRY.

the property of a shopkeeper, on the 8th inst. For appropriating these delicacies he was sentenced to three days' imprisonment.

AN INSOLENT ATTACK. A Portuguese clerk, by name Antonio Barros. hailing from Macao, while walking down Cochrane Street late in the evening of the 5th met flower hawker, and without any provocation kicked his basket out of his hand. The 'ill-used hawker demanded an explanation, when the Portuguese reforted by bitting the Chinaman on the head. There were seven or eight more lads with the assailant. and that while witnessing it as an interested spectator the complainant accused him of assault

and called a constable. His Worship flued the defendant 86 and ordered him to pay \$2 compensation to the hawker. THE RATTAN. A Chinese apprentice of the irresponsible

age of 17 was charged with stealing a shoe valued at 50 cents, the property of a "atudent. Complainant was sitting on the rail of the them the duty of disposing of all applications in his close attention to the military manouvres be did not notice the defendant quietly take one of the shoes. He was not aware of his loss until the drill was over, and while wondering how his property had disappeared-sesing that t could not walk on its own account—the da fendant had the coll effrontery to produce it and demand 60 cents for its return. Some bargaining took place, and eventually the thief came down to 30 cents. In the meantime a constable was called and the defendant hander into onstody.

> His Worship ordered the delinquent to be detained until ten strokes of the rattan had been administered, detention not to exceed ten days.

> op um a coolie was fined \$18; another who unlawfully had 6 mass being muleted in the sum

Inspector Mann on the night of the 7th made a raid upon a gambling house at No. 11, Gough

A mondicant, plying his undesirable calling

CANTON NOTES.

FROM THE "CHUNG MGOI SAN PO." Cholera is spreading at Fatshan and in the neighbouring districts. Many fatal cases have The 6th instant, being the Viceroy's birthday,

vamen to congrutulate him. In order to save the purses of the officials. His Excellency issued licensing session and remained in the room a notice beforehand to the effect that he would not account any presents sent to him. when the application on its merits was taken at Namao, has arrived at Canton to pay calls living bacilli. into consideration. I submit that his simple upon the magnates. He bas come by land via presence there, the presence of Mr. Granville | Ka. yiug-chow, Lo-loong, and Wai-chow to make

and to justify me in submitting to your Lord- A junk named Kwong Un Tai, which left ship this proposition, that the Justices there Hongkong for Kong-mun, in the San-hui-heien, assembled did not proceed according to law to on the lat met, was run into by another junk consider the application before them. First, we lafter passing Chang-chow. She had a full cargo say that they did not proceed according to law on board. The damages she received necessitated

way or the other. Of course very often there Fni-kong, in the Sam-shui district, was caught may at these meetings be persons present who by a storm and sank with all har passengers on have a very strong bias one way or another, but | board. 28 persons, men and women, were drown the question always arises, can it be proved P ed, but only a few of the bodies have been re-

A proclamation has lately been issued to the beatmon by the water Lekin authorities to the leff of that information having been received Sharp, who was present as a Justice, was biassed | that the runners of the department had often detained junks by delay in examining The affidavits of Mr. J. D. Humphreys and them. a fixed time (d a.m.) has now been appointed for the commencement of searching junks; should any detention again occur the owner of the junk may report to the authorities land he will be rewarded

The special examination for the ku-jen (second degree) is to begin on the 17th in tant. Two examiners under the order of the Emperor left Nan-hung on the 3rd instant and are expected bacco into the right form, but puts it at a wrong at Canton on the 9th instant. Crowds of scholars temperature into a wrong place. The cigarette have arrived for the examination and great! numbers may be seen walking about inside His Lordship - If they withdrew their active the city. The Governor, knowing that the candidates residing in the four lower Prefect tures are too poor to hire boats to the capital, very difficult to clean, and tends to produce has kindly ordered some launches to bring them. cancer of the tongue and lips. Moreover, in all Several days ago a junk, trading between forms of smoking the tobacco becomes saturated propie "-we mean the people who would be San hui-beien and Soung-shui-hau, while on a with the smoker's breath. This seems to be voyage to the latter place was attacked by pirates almost prisonous. It is this which causes about ten, bad taken passage on board the junk table for a few hours, to become indescribably ranny of the new convention of unconventionaland after seising all the luggage and money of the other passengers went away with their booty by other craft, which were ready for the purpose, smoke of tobroco not pressed down to the line value of the booty was upwards of 500 taels. bottom of a clean bowl nauseous, even to the

cently published book of gossip, " His et ubique." is the following, showing how narrowly the upon the pipe smoker. A child who sucks a foul Emperor Napoleon escaped becoming a British pipe she sometimes strikes dead. What is the naval officer :- "When Napoleon was at school at | Brienne, the son of an English peer, who himself became Lord Wenlock, was his school-fellow. One day the little Corsican came to young Lawley, and said 'Look at this:' he showed him a letter writ- this end a combination of the hookab and Rimten in remarkably good English; it was addressed to the British Admiralty and requested permis- on the grating of a snuff manufactory how delision to enter our Navy. The young Buonaparte cious is the odour! Such would be the contents said: 'The difficulty I am afraid will be my religion'; Lawley said: 'You young rascal; I don't both sexes, a disinfectant, a rest rative, and a believe you have any religion at all.' Napoleon of living parasites in the lining membrane of replied : But my family have : my mother's race, the Ramolini, are very rigid: I should be disinherited if I showed any signs of becom-England might claim a right to be heard, independently of the question of a buffer independently of the question of a buffer state, and as the dispute is not wat finally state, and as the dispute is not wat finally state. A pamphlet have not searched for it, for the simple reason by these dispute is not wat finally independently of the question of a buffer sex (acquired or constitutions). Sounds now—will be the most appearance of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the question of a buffer sex (acquired or constitutions). Sounds now—will be the most appearance of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently of the passion of the dispute is not wat finally independently adjusted the point possesses more than an aised in a squall. There were 79 persons on Complaints. Biliousuess, Hardache, Siekness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wish so good a story to become all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors ided down again, and for setting up yet acadresic interest, for it is quite possible that a constant is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on Complaints. Bisionsucas, hardache, Sickness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on Complaints. Bisionsucas, hardache, Sickness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on Complaints. Bisionsucas, hardache, Sickness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on Complaints. Bisionsucas, hardache, Sickness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on Complaints. Bisionsucas, hardache, Sickness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on Complaints. Bisionsucas, hardache, Sickness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on Complaints. Bisionsucas, hardache, Sickness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on Complaints. Bisionsucas, hardache, Sickness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on Complaints. Bisionsucas, hardache, Sickness, explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt that I do not wise so good a story to persons on the I do not wise so good a story to persons on the I do not wise so good a story to persons on the I do not wise so good a story to g 11639 partment may take the trouble to find it."

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

Excluding Alasko, states Mr. Ralph S. Tarr, the United States may be said to be a nonvolcanic country, but it has not long been so. A chain of volonnoes extends from southern form and some of these are perhaps no more dor-Utah, and in New Mexico exist small lava flows that must have been erupted in very recent years, probably since the white man's discovery of the continent. These seem to record the death throes of the country's latest volcanio giants. The volcanous have evidently played

in the volcanio districts of Tertiary times. the proportion of cures was 81 per cent.

Following up a discovery by Herts, Dr. Phi lip Lenard, of Bonn, has produced a remarkable so eagerly, and with such tremendous conkind of light. The rays of the cathode of a Geis- cientiousness, they might have kept it for some sler tube that excite phosphorescence will per- time to come as a mark of smertness. The meate very thin metal, and hammered aluminum thing, however, has been so absurdly over-1.8,000th of an inch thick is found to be quite done that already the best people are beginimpermeable to air and light while allowing the ning to remark that "the most conventional rays from a cathode at a distance of five inches thing in the world is to try and be uncon-The slings and arrows of outrageous hunger to pass freely. In the apparatus constructed, routional." Very soon, indeed, we shall find induced a hapless Chinaman, "of no occupation," the aluminum foil forms a shutter for the elec- Mrs. Ponsonby de Tomkins, when she is told to steal twenty-seven cakes, valued at 10 cents, tric discharge tube. As the rays pass through the shutter the air on the outside is rendered faintly luminous, the odor of ozone is recognizable, and if substances capable of phosphorescence are held near the luminous surface, they shine with their psculiar light on the side toward it. The phenomena of phosphorescones cases when π magnet is so hold as to repel the cathode rays from the inner side of the aluminum foil

Since solidified carbonic acid became a commercial product it has proved useful for many purposes, two recent applications being of general interest. A very simple process preserves butter by its aid. The butter is placed in an iron vessel Defendant pleaded that a fight was going on | or can provided with a pipe and tap, by means of which the carbonic acid is injected under a pressure of six atmospheres, driving out the air and in this condition the batter will remain perfeetly fresh for four or five weeks or longer. the second application the earbonic acid is forced into whey. The liquid is thus converted into an agreeable offervesoing beverage, which will remain fit for use for six weeks.

> gradually changing to adopt them to this new to be unconventional, in order to be in the mode of locomotion. Specimens of the feet re- fashion. The whole raison d'et a of unconvencently exhibited to the London Zoological So- ! tionalism is naterly destroyed by the motive of ciety had grown alighter and the claws longer | fashiouable observance. The people who deli-

given off in the manufacture of Portland coment An English manufacturer has patented a propess for collecting and parifying the gas, which he now obtains sufficiently pure for use in aerated.

Large quantities of carbonic acid gas are

Rabies has just been introduced into Madeira and the Azores through the importation of the dog of an English traveller.

Referring to the well known poisoning by the nettle, Mr. J. Guardia, F.R.M.S., statethat the pain produced by even the most virulen! English nettle Urtica pilulifera, soon abato For being in possession of 14 taels of prepared and disappears. Not so, bowever, that from some Indian species. An experience with Urtica crenulata, encountered in the botanic gardens at Calcutta, is given by M. Leschennult: "One of the leaves slightly touched the first three fingers of my left hand; at the time I only perceived a slight pricking, to which I paid no attention, but the pain continued to increase, and in an hour it had become intolerable; it seamed as if some one was rubbing my fingers with a hot iron, though no swelling or inflamma. has been served. Accordingly, a hot pudding is tion could be seen. The pain rapidly spread | put on the table at the beginning of lunch, along the arm as far as the armpit. I was then and by the time the lunchers are ready for seized with frequent specing with a copious their second course it has become tepid and running of the nose, as if I had caught a clammy. No matter. It is better to eat it canvassed the Peak residents and got many Jus. here, received a free passage to Canton, where, violent cold in the head; soon after I experienced half-cold than to be so conventional as to have painful contraction of the jaw. * * Tithe servants running in and out of the continued to suffer for two days, and the pain from during luncheon. Again, it has become returned in full force whenever I put my hand into water. I did not finally lose it for nino and thanks for "a delightful visit," and days." There is another species of nettle in therefore bost and guest must part in grim Timor the effects of which are said by the

natives to last for a year, or even to cause death. The readiness with which certain germs many ness. The little politenesses of speech which be distributed by the postal service is shown by | were once held to be marks of good breeding. late experiments of Prof. Uffelman, of Rostock. I must be avoided as if they were the large. It A letter infected with cholera bacilli was put in is still just permitted to carry a lady's clock or a mail-bag, and the organisms were found still jacket, to get up when she comes into a room, or living at the end of nearly 24 hours, but on coins to hold the door open; but he who would perthey died very quickly. On fabrics of wool and form these offices of the drawing room without linen they had remarkably long life. Flies blame, must contrive to show that he is doing Lau Yee (Lui Jung Fu), the former leader of carried infection very effectually, a number of them half as a burlesque of the conventional once to consider the protest of Mr. Descon the Black Flags, who gave the French so much the infected insects being placed on a piece of old-fashioned people who do not know what's trouble in Tonkin, and who is now Commodore | beef, which in a short time was swarming with | what. One of the most ridiculous results of the

> The relative resistance to pressure of the hardest steel and the hardest stone were tested the other day in Vienna. Cubes of corundam measuring 0.39 inch broke under a weight of 118 cwt., but equal cubes of steel resisted up to

It is stated that no more satisfactory silver allow for coinage and other purposes has ye been discovered than that used 800 years ago.

THE RIGHT USE OF TOBACCO.

Tobacco consists of the leaves and stalk f a plant charged with an aroma purifying, sustaining, exhibitating, and fragrant to the human being. Like the aroma of a rose. this aroma should be inhaled in the form of cool vapour by the human nose. The chewer, like the cab-borse, eats the leaves and stalk. He uses the tobacco at the right temperature but in the wrong form, and puts it into the wrong place. The anoffer reduces the leaves and stalk to powder, and puts it into his nose He uses the tobacco at the right temperture and puts it into the right place, but converts it intoa wrong form. The cigar smoker gets the tosmoker blends the filthy rage and other materials out of which paper is made with the tobacco. The pipe smoker puts his tobacco into a receptacle which is used for an indefinite time, is tobacco in a foul pipe noxious, and the smoker himself. Nature protests against this abuse of her bounty. She tweaks the incipient stories related by Sir William Fraser in his re- heart, and sometimes threatens him with paralysis. She inflicts cancer of the lips and tongue pipe she sometimes strikes dead. What is the lesson she is trying to teach? What is the right mode of using her delightful gift? Obviously to reduce it to vapour, to cool the vapour, and to apply the pure cold vapour to the nose. mel's odoriser is all that is needed. If you stand

> 1 E780 - what is the end of the whole matter? We PANY, Lincoln, England.

of a tobacco scent-bottle, qually exhibitating to

perfume in one!—Gentleman's Magazine.

VENTIONALISM

In the current number of the National Review. Mr. Saintsbury, in an article on Guy de Manage South America into Mexico; then there is a sant, points out how the French realist, even large space with no volcanoes, and the inter- when he strove must after unconventionalism. rupted chain begins again in Alaska, curves became in the truest sense of the word convensouthward and joins the chain of Japan. The tional. This saying contains a truth which and intermediate non volcanie region has just not he restricted to Guy de Manpagant. It is a emerged from an era of etupendous volcanic truth just as applicable to hundreds of people of activity. That this activity may be in some this side of the Channel. Especially among the degree resumed in the future is not impro. women in upper and upper-middle class societybable, for in the West are volcanoes so recent the "better-vulgar," in a word-there is just as, like Mount Shasta, to retain their conical now a positive mania for being unconventional How to be unconventional,—that is the motive ment than was Vesuvins before the fateful year which dominates every thought and action of 79, when it buried Pompeil and Heronianeum their lives. "Wouldn't it be a very conventional beneath the most terrible storm of stones and thing to do?" is the touch stone used to decide A flue of \$20, or six wooks' imprisonment, was ashes ever known to man. In the Canyon of all the minor problems of existence. Half the the Colorado, in the deserts of Navada and comforts and decomposes of life are resigned without a sigh because they are "so, dreadfully conventional." It is conventional to be kind and well-bred, and to express sympathy with the misfortunes of your neighbours. Therefore, however much inclined you may he by nature to be kindly, well-bred, and an important part in bringing to the surface sympathetic, you must sternly suppress those stores of metals, and the richest mines are found amotions. Again, it is most convintional to appear interested in your husband's concerns. for to oare for your children and their welfare. Steresol, a new remedy, is an antiseptic var- All domestic and family feeling, then, must be nish, which adheres closely to mucous membrane carefully hidden away, except, of course, on coand skin, modifying injured surfaces and pre- pasions when it would be the conventional thing verting adjoining portions from contarion. to hide it. On each occasions, it may be revelled Carbolic acid is the notive constituent. Used in without any suspicion of wrong-doing, or, three months for diphtheria in a French hospital. Inther, with the prond consciousness that it is specially unconventional.

If the women of society had not practised

their so-called unconventionality so persistently. vonng Midas that "this dodge of being so denced unconventional is going out," replying, with her sweetest smile. "I was not aware that it had ever come in." It is by no means difficult to understand the process by which the society woman has "become the thing that she despises,"-that is, has turned anonventionalism into the most hopoless conventionalism. The very essence of being really unconventional is not to be distracted by the notion. "O her early do this or that and so I pught to." or by the fear of what people will say or think, under particular circumstances. To be unconventional is to be free from the convenions, agreements, and rules which are supposed to bind society, and to take your nwn course independently and without kay thought of the consequences. The modern unconventional person, however, breaks through the rules and regulations, or what are supposed to be the rules and regulaious, of Society, not because she or he really wants to do so, but because it is the fashion. It has become the fashion to be unconventional. The rabbits of Australia are learning to climb But the fashion is conventionalism in its worst rees in their search for food, and their feet are and most aggravated form. It is impossible berately wear very shabby cloth, s on Sunday, in order that they may not be accused of being endimanchia, are doing a thoroughly conventional act. In their little world it has become a convention not to wear smart clothes on Sunday. just as in other little worlds it is still a convention to wear one's Sunday-best. The smart man, then, who carefully refrains from putting on a black coat on Sunday, is just as conventional as the unsmart one who religiously done broadcloth and a top-hat. The first, no doubt likes to think himself a bold bad man who defles all laws human and divine, and is utterly unconventional. As a matter of fact, however, he is nothing of the kind, but only the devotee of a somewhat stricter and narrower sect than the wan who wears the broadcloth. It is often not a little amusing to notice the extreme auxiety displayed by modern " women of the world" to obly to the letter the conventions of unconventionalism. They are perpetually on the look-out for what they call conventionality in order that they may go and do the opposite. For example,

> "terribly conventional" to express pleasure silence. This refusal to give expression in words to any of the minor forms of kindly feeling. is indeed cherished as a special mark of smartnew conventionalism is to be seen in the intense anxiety of people who want to be thought smart to talk about things which used to be considered. if not exactly unspeakable, at any rate better left andiscussed in general society. People may nowadays be seen laboriously bringing the conversation round to the drains, in order to show that they are not afraid of talking about them. There is a feeling abroad that a certain seal of unconventionality can be more easily set upon eneself in this way than in any other. A lady, ugain, tells a risque little story, not because it is laughable, or because it is apropos, or because it comes into her head to do so at the moment, but deliberately and solemuly because she imagines it will show people that she has not got the ideas about social correctness entertained, or supposed to be entertained, by country clargyman's wife. No sensible person would, of course, desire to make anything approaching to a protest against these feeble and perfunctory little improprieties on the ground of their impropriety—they are as harmless as the oigarettes through which modern ladies plough their way, with the object not of auoying the tobacco, but of being unconventional -but at the same time it is impossible not to feel them out of place, and to notice their incongraity. Again, there is perhaps no reason in

it has come to be considered conventional not

to let the servants stop in the room during

lancheon, or even to appear at all after the meat

opinion merely for the sake of avoiding conventionality. That a great reaction will somer or laterprobably sooner-take place in regard to couventionality, is quite obvious. The really " best universally admitted to have a right to that title -just as they never let themselves be bound too rank. It is this which makes the smoke of ity; and as soon as the crowd below begin to understand this fact, there will be a positive smoke of tobroco not pressed down to the stempade in the direction of being conventional. We shall see the young men making elaborate bows to their partners, instead of nodding at them while they "wink the other eye," and asking Perhaps the most ourlous of many curious snuffer's nose. She weakens the cigar smoker's for "the honour of a dance," instead jerking out an interrogative "All gone?" or "Got any?" as now. The girls will follow sait, and instead of "Full up," or "After the fair," we shall hear pleasure or regret expressed in ph made such as Catherine Morland employed in Rooms" ninety years ago. The assumed farmeity of the modern young man at breakfast in a country house will be exchanged for a smiling face, and elaborate if clurary attempts to pleaso. The young married women will assume an arti-

morals why women should not swear parlour

oaths, granted that men are permitted to do so

but it is none the less absurd to see ladies

labouriously fortifying their expressions of

ficial pir of reserve, and will be as punotitious about small ceremonial matters as they are now free-sad-easy. Of course, the reaction, like all reactions, will go too far, and, except among the few sensible people who aim at being neith r conventional nor unconventional, but who sincarely wish to be natural and themselves, we shall have formality for the time enshrined and

take it to be this .- The best-bred people are neither conventionally conventional, nor yet conventionally unconventional. They neither strive to obey mere social conventions blindly nor to break them blindly. Instead, they obe them or break them, as may be right under the special circumstances, or as the partionlar convention is well or ill-founded, and hirmony with the main principles of taste and social conduct. An old family servent, talking to one of her fellows about her master, once laid it down that "true gentle-folks never sus-The well-bred person never suspects himself hale (Rember's Will) the server was down in some or berself of being either conventional or but bumped out again, and White, holing in unconventions, but goes ahead, ignoring four won. The first round was completed : Golf many of the patty rules and regulations by bal, 48; arrow, 44, the golfer being one up in which society blads itself, and observing only holes. In the second round, the professional, those which are founded on convenience and flading it no child's play to best Rabin Hood's good sense. No doubt it will be said that for old fashioned wand, set down to work in earnest, may men and women it it anything but easy and played the most brilliant ball round on and to "suspect themselves;" and that, record "The bowman also shot up well, and the therefore, we have done nothing to solve first three holes were done in four each. The that it is not easy not to auspect on welf. If it were easy, it would be easy to be necfectly well- instead of sticking near the hole. White with bred, instead of, as all the world admits, very the hall scored six ancorasive holes in four; and difficult. It being difficult not to suspect onesalf does not, however, after the fact that won the seventh hole with three, but White holed it is the only way of avoiding being conven. Banker's Hill in a brilliant three and won, his tional -or, what is worse, being deliberately unconventional. Never suspect yourself, and if you like being polite better than being cluborately unpolite, by polite. When all is said n't done, that is about the best working rale to social intercourse that has ever been devised. --- Speciator.

THE DIRECTOR'S VADE MECUM.

Question: What is your duty as a director? -- l'o give my name to a prespectes. Is there any necessary formality before make poods, or about 2,600 lbs English. The fish was ing this donation?-Yas; I am to accept a taken, singularly enough, in an ordinary net, -certain cumber of qualifying shares in the come and without damage to the mashes. A sturgeon pany obtaining the advantage of my directorial of this size will give about 10 poods of caviare, Need you pay for these shares? - With pro-

per ma sipulation, certainly not. What other advantages would you secure by bacoming idirector?- A gainen each attendance. Anything else ?- A glass of sherry and a sand-

What are your duties at a board meeting?-" shake hands with the secretary and to sign au attendance book. What are your nominal duties?- Have not

Would it be likely to include in your nominal duties the protection of the interests of the sharebolders P-As likely as not. Would it be overstating the case to say that thousands and thousands of needy persons are absolutely rained by the solfish institution of a company's direction P-Not at all-possibly nuderstating it.

you put your name?-Never. oz e'inQ-Pesuereffini And, omeequently, know that according to

the view of the judges, you are above the law?--Thatis so. Many danger to your own interests? -To be sure. And consequently will do what you best please, in spite of anything and any body ?-Why, certainly .- Punch.

THE LONGITUDINAL BULKHEAD.

the faintest idea.

whether the capsizing of the vessel after she to the time of the introduction of twin-screws number of illustrations and maps. vessels were divided into watertight compartments by bulkhends put transversely to the

+ a upwards, as the Victoria did. ressels will be sent with short shrift to the which will comprise four of the improved 67-ton september:-For London-14.8 6 lbs. congou. bottom, Hitherto, if pictures of moval battles guns. are tenstworthy, ships in action pageded at one buighend, must slowly but sorely tuen over.

that if she were sulden y removed from the minister seized it. He waldled down the sister goods, 7 cases sundries, and 550 packages to a w ter it would rush in to snoply the vacuum, and oried out—" Mr. Moderator, I'm his man!" For London -28 bales raw silk, 100 bales waste This upward pressure nots at right angles to with part of the ship's surface, and to maintain equilibrium it must be equal on both sides. water were to lose the upward pressure on both connected with this custom. Of their folk-lore sides she would be no longer supported but may be mentioned a not singular belief in the would sink just as she would do when she springs existence of a man in the moon. The legend, a leak after becoming filled with water But if as reported by Mr. Woodford, is as follows: the support were taken away on our side and "There was once a girl named Leonivalu, when a wave was broadside, she would turn wanted to marry a good-looking young men over or roll so as to take up a new position named Silitamburers, and her choics was apof equilibrium. If a vessel filled with water preved of by her father Tuesakai. There was wild with water preved of by her father Tuesakai. There was wild water preved of by her father Tuesakai. There was wild water preved of by her father Tuesakai. There was wild water preved of by her father Tuesakai. There was wild water preved of by her father Tuesakai. There was wild water preved of by her father Tuesakai. There was wild water preved of by her father Tuesakai. There was was will be another man named Garage was a cripple of the keel only she would lose the another man named Garage was a cripple of the keel only she would lose the another man named Garage was a cripple of the keel only she would lose the another man named Garage was a cripple of the keel only she would lose the another man named Garage was a cripple of the keel only she would lose the another man named Garage was a cripple of the keel only she would lose the another man named Garage was a cripple of the keel only she would lose the another man named Garage was a cripple of the keel only she would lose the another man named Garage was a cripple of the keel only she was a cripple of the control of the keel only she was a cripple of the control of the keel only she was a cripple of the control of the keel only she was a cripple of the control of the con upward pressure on that side because it would be one lest also in love with Leonivalu. Meeting Vagasaki

kerl and she will first like a life-bout if also has remained there ever since, where he is employed sufficient water-tight compartments until d and in making white shell armiets out of the large Helphong does not break her back by the increased strain clam shells." In fact she is suspended like a man in a hammook, but if the extra weight were put on one side the other were lifted up.

which it deserves. In any case it would be an of the building. The professor noticed them, but | Gap Rock 29.40 +asy matter to try and experiment with models did not know what was the matter, and probably linear so arranged that the effect of this new bulk- does not know to this day. It seems that while !!! head might be ascertained. The nation has too he was speaking he had put out his disangaged much at stake to allow an engineering defect, hand for so nothing to rest it on, and had secured if it be a defect, to remain unaftered. It is not the top of the head of a bold-headed gentleman by any means the first time that scientific men in the front row. As he warmed to his subject have made bin ders. The Great Eastern was the professor gently stroked the head, and predesigned and built by two of the ablest marine sontly began to pat it. After this the recipient the 5th at 10.15 am. Gan first one round. Strong N.E. architects of the day. She was the subject of his attentions hurriedly moved to another wather squally and wet. great interest, yet not withstanding all Mr. Soott | seat, and the lecture went on without further Russel's knywledge and Mr. Brunel's science interruption. all the o'servation of workmen and friends,

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NOVEL GOLF MATCH:

A metoh (golf bell v. arrow) was played at Felixitows recently between Mr. F. Wilson, an old wember of the club, and White, the young professional attached to the green. The first hole was won by the bow, Mr. Wilson laying his arrow almost dond in two. Two holes were then divided in four, but at the fourth the professional got level. At the next hole the bowmin's arrow broke on the string when pulling for a long shot, and only flaw a dozen yards, the turned at Fleatward Hodormay three. Mr. Wilson soore being : White, 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 -85. The arrrow's score for the same round was: ON MANILA 444546855-40. When each made a good shot, the golf ball namelly case d the arrow by about thirty yards. In short puts the acrow had the best of it, but lost two long puts by going into the hole and rebounding out -The Flied.

OLLA PODRIDA.

Same fisherfolk the other day captured in Yerik Bay, on the Don, a stargeon weighing 72 having a marketable value of 1,000 roubles.

A chance for the benevolent. The following advertisement appears in the Times .- A descendant of a noble King of England, and a poor tralesman, is straggling hard through life for want of capital. Will any kind-hearted, loyal, and philanthropic parson advince him a few handred pounds until he is able to repay it?

Lives of Wall-street men remind us. We should hastie for the rocks, And departing leave behind us Many kinds of waters stocks. Stocks not damaged by the weather, Stocks on which we pay no rent, Stocks on which each year we gather Four or five or six per cent.

At the present time there is someonly a city of note in the world which is not placed within a I suppose you never read a prospectus to which few seconds' or minutes' com audicat on with London. There are now nearly 14300) miles Nor willingly wish to rain any one? -No; why of wire in the dipths of the seal representing a capital of nearly \$40,0 10,00 h; whilst about forty You are guilty of gross ignorance and bratal specially constructed telegraph stramers are employed in laying and repairing.

A new petroleum conduit pipe is to be laid lown slongside the railroad between Bekn and And may therefore do what you like, without Batonm, at an estimated cost of 19.000,000 roubles. The oil will be hydrenlically pamped from the Caspian end into the Buton in reservoirs. The whole of this immense industry may now be said to be in the hands of two foreign houses-Mesars. Nobel Brothers and the Mesars. Rothschild. The former has the Russian home supply and the latter the export trade.

What promises to be one of the most interest. Two important questions arise out of the cironmetances attending the loss of the Fictoria. ing of forthcoming works will be the Earl of Oue came properly within the province of the Dunmore's ascent of his journeyings in Central Court-Martial-the cause which led to the Asia, which Mr. Murray will publish. His lorddeplorable disaster. The other is an engineer- ship, it may be remembered, read a paper on his ing problem with which the Court could travels before the Royal Geographical Society. hardly have been expected to deal. It is The book is entitled "The Pamirs; being a parrative of a year's expedition on horseback struck was or was not in a great measure due and on foot though Kashmir, Western Thibet, to the separation of the ship fore and aft by Chinese Tartary, and Russian Central Asia." what is known as a longitudinal bulkhead. Up It will be in two volumes, and will contain a

The Lords of the Admiralty have sanctioned length of the ship, but double engines and the extension of the Alexandra (No. 7) building double sorews have led to the introduction to at Chatham Dookyard. The width is to of the longitudical bulkhesd, which divides be increased so as to allow of the construca vessel fore and aft so that after a colli- tion of ves els of greater breadth then any of New Maiwa sion waer can only get into one side of the the immense battleships now affect. The sn. Old Malwa...... \$603 ship. This, no doubt lessens the amount lorged slip will exceed any other building slip. 4 & 5 years old Malwa ... \$610 tint enters, but the assigns question is whether in the service for size, and will provide 6 to 8 years' old Malwa .. \$62) 1 to 2 and destroy the equilibrium in other facilities for the construction of ships baving a Patna (New)....... 2555 per chest. was a whether it days not depress one side and breadth of 75 ft. The new and improved first Paton (Old) russ the other so that a wassel must tope bot- class armoured battleship Mamifloont ordered to Benares (New)...... \$5671 built at Chathem, and which when complete will Benares (Old) 85874 Now randing is, no donot, a method of attack be the largest and most powerful battleship in that will be largely resorted to in naval warfare the world is to be constructed on this slip, at a in the futur, and as in the times of the Greeks, cost of about £960,000, inclusive of armament,

mid one vessel or the other (or both) exploded. Instible absordity of a situation, and so lead to 545 hales hemp. 157 bales canes. 44 rolls matting, unight fire, or became so disabled that she his "giving himself away" by an ill-advised 75 cases preserved ginger. 40 cases brintles: and struck her flig. Nowadays it would appear speech. A very amusing incident happend at 100 bales waste silk. For Liverpool-17 packages that armoured ships with their energons most an American meeting of youd. Somebody had plated were. For Transhipment-2,060 boxes mentum due, not so much to their great speed de ed to insinuate that ministers stationed in tea, and 34 bales leaf tobacco. he to their vast bulk, will act like projectiles of mittee were over-dressed and topoish and that low speed, and with great force or sale into an chey looked down on their country brethren. September :- For New York -7.605 rolls matadversary, which, if divided by the fore and aft who were garments of unfashionable out and ting, 550 cases palm leaf fans, 3.614 prokages occasionally tending to be shiny On this a Dr. merchandisa, 110 casks soy, 50 packages ratton-That this must be so is capable of demonstration. Brackenridge aross Re was tall-well-nigh a core, 50 packages rattan pith, and 1 packages A ve set in calm water floats when the weight giant—and straight as a larch. " Mr Modera- brassware. of the fluid she displaces equals her own -that is tor," he said, "I am ready to exchange clothes Per stemmship Yarra, sailed on the 7th Septhe water under her has a tendency to rise equal with any colleague on this floor " It was a capital tember :- For Continent-298 bales raw silk, 50 to her tonuage. This is an active impulse, so opportunity for the humorist, and a short, fat bales waste silk, 15 bales hair, 21 cases silk piece

The religion and folklors of the Solomon \$50,600. Islanders are exceedingly interesting. The Savo It is evident that if a vessel finating in calm natives worship the shark, and a curious ritual is ingressed on the other, as would be the case whose father's name was Tu sakai. Leonivalu,

neutralized by the weight of the fluid in the ber walking on the shore one evening after dark, shanghal ship. She is, therefore, in the same position he personated Silitamburara, and prevailed upon Foochow as if she were on the side of a wave. She Leonivala to accompany him to his house Amoy must capsize, and if she is top-weighted Here she discovered the deception and escaped Ampluy with heavy gons and turrets the effect next day, and complained to her father. Canton is increased. Now a vessel without longitudinal Tossakal was very angry, and pursued Gen. Hongkons bulkheads, some of whose compartments are gonkouks with the intention of killing him, but Victoria Posk... filled, carries the extra weight fairly over the he fled for safety and got to the moon, and has Gap Rock

Professor Blackie, who was sighty-four years | Cape S. James ... only and the other side were still subject to the of age on the 28th July, is decidedly eccentric upward lift of the water she would naturally in many respects, and at times he has shown Tokio turn over as the man would be turned out of the absence of mind. On one occasion, about twelve Vaccabi the other were lifted up.

It neems a question, there ere, whether the burgh Philosophical Society. Coming down Amoyaman

including even the late George Stephenson. Lloyd's agents at Beyrout have contributed who gave his assistance when the well-being come interesting particulars of the progress of Lloyd's agents at Beyrout have contributed launched, she went to sea with her fundels past the harbour works there. The works were com- Harometer sing through the saloon, surrounded by water menced in 1839, but they will take two more Comperature sing through the saloon, surrounded by water jackets, without any provision for the escape of team generated by the heat of the funnels. The consequence was that the world was astemded when informed that an explosion had taken place attended with own of lefe, from a blunder which a child might have seen. The question is ported and expected. The long jutty is already whether this leaving limit bulkhead is not a similar blunder. If so it is better that we should the lates and provide as there is leaven the feet and profit by it now rather than the lates and come along ideas as there is learn the fact and profit by it, now, rather than harbour, but do not come slougside, as there is wilt until our ironclais disappear one by one | no depth of water, and goods are discharged into beneath the sea in the first serious neval en- lighters of four or five tous expanity. The large grement the future may being us .- Transport steamers of the Messageries Maritimes and oth r Companies do not venture inside the har-A sin Beautiful sken .- subjusting some bur, but anchor outside. Although the har, gives the gatural tint and permet ke olsen of a bour is volue for from or mulation, the Ottoman

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NOTICE TO MARINERS. No. 274. CHINA SEA. FOOCHOW DISTRICT. AND HAITAN ISLANDS.

THE subjoined information has been received, from Captain CHARLES J. NORCOCK, R.N., Commanding H.M.S. Caroline. "H.M.S. Caroline. at Shanghal, 28th August 1893. "HYDROGRAPHICAL NOTE. "Shoal patch between Turnsbont and Haitan

" Position Lat. 25° 26' 30" N. Long. 119' 58' 45" E. "PERSONAL EXAMINATION. "This is a rocky patch of 6 to 10 fathoms lying midway between Haitan and Turnsbout Islands, 5 cables long in a N.E. and S.W. direction

and S cables broad. Least water found 6 fa-"At low water there is a very heavy tide rip and the water is much discoloured over the patch As there may be similar patches between these Islands it is suggested that vessels pass outside Purnabout, "(Signed) WM. PHILIP LODDER,

" Navigating Officer. "(Signed) CHAS. J. NORCOCK, Captalo." By Order of the Inspector-General of Customs, A. M. BISCEE. Coast Inspector. Imperial Maritime Customs,

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THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEE ING of SHAREHOLDERS will 63.-Stevens, G. R., Res. be held at the COMPANY'S HOTEL. on FRI-DAY, 15th SEPTEMBER, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to 30th June, 1898, with the Report 57.-Wickham, W.H. Res Company to 30th June, 1893, with the Report 63.-Woo Kee & Co., of the Directors, and to discuss any matters that may competently be brought before the meeting. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from 2nd to 15th proximo, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board, Becretary. Houghoug, 26th August, 1893.

NOTICES OF FIRMS NOTION. MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY,

LIMITED. MR. CHAU TSEUNG FAT has been appointed SECRETARY to the above Company, vice Mr. Woo LIN YURN, Deceased. By Order of the Board of Directors, 帽 图 (KMYN HOI OHREA) Managing Director.

Hongkong, 1st September, 1898. HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. R. HART BUCK has been appointed Becretary of the above-named Company Secretary of the above-named Company JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & BOM. Governing Directors.

NOTICE. MR. HART BUCK is authorized to sign our Firm per producation. JOHN. D. HUMPHREYS & SON. Hongkong, 7th Septemb r. 1893.

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replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 6th July. THE AMERICAN MAIL The P. M. steamer City of New York, with the American mail of 17th mit, loft Youhams on the morning of the 7th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 10th inst. The O. & O. steamer Grelicheft San Francisco via Yokohama on the 26th August.

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"KUTSANG," Captain Bowker, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 12th inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 6th September, 1893.

Austrian Lloyd's Steam naviga-TION COMPANY, (UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT). STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND ROBE.

HE Company's Steamship "MARQUIS BACQUEHEM," Captain G. Wallusnig, will leave for the above places on the 13th inst., at NOON For Freight or Passage, apply to C. ZANELLA,

Hougkong, 7th September, 1893. FOR SINGAPORL, HAVRE, AND HAMBURG.

(Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers if sufficient inducement off-rs). Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LIBBON, OPORTO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL, and BREMEN.) FIHE Steamship

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Hongkong, 4th September, 1893. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

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THE Steamship "PESHAWUR,"

Captain J. F. Jephson, carrying Her Majesty's Mails will be despatched from this for LON-DON via Bombay on THURSDAY, the 14th SEPTEMBER, at NOON, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports. Bilk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Ten for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other Cargo for London, &c. will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment. Parcels will be received at this Office until P.M. the day before sailing. The Contents and Value of all Packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading. For further particulars, apply to H. H. JOSEPH. Superintendent: Hongkong, 1st September, 1893. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

"TANTALUS," Captain Jones, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 14th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 4th September, 1893.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILROAD COMPANIES. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTREATION). TACOMA | Thursday ... | Sept. 28. MOGUL..... | Thursday ... | Oct. 19. VICTORIA...... | Thursday ... | Nov. 9. TACOMA Tuesday Dec. 12. Moovi. Jan. 2, 24

THE Steamship

"TACOMA," Captain J. Hill, sailing at NOON, on THURS. DAY, the 28th SEPTEMBER, will proceed to VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA, via SHANGHAI, INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA. Through Bills of Lading Issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. Consular Invoices of Goods for United States N MONDAY, the 18th day of September, Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy

1893, at 3 P.M., the Company's Steamship must be sent forward by the st-amer to the care "GERA," Captain W. v. Schuckmann, with of The Freight Agent, Northern Pacific Rail- FIFE 3/3 A.I.I. American Ship MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and road, Tacoma, Wash, Parcels must be sent to our Office with address marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day previous to SATUEDAY, the 16th Sept., Cargo and Specie For further information as to Passage or DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

... Agenta. Hougkong, 30th August, 1893. FOR NEW YORK. FIRE 8/3 L.I.I. American Ship

"EMILY P. WHITNEY," Dearborn, Master, will load here for the above Port and will have quick despatch. MELCHERS & Co., For Freight apply to REUTER, BRÜCKELMANN & CO. Agenta. Hongkong, 29th August, 1893. Hongkong, 5th August, 1893.

VESSELS ON THE BESTH COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. NOTICE: STEAM FOR

AIGON. SINGAPORE. BATAVIA. CO. LOMBO, PONDICHERTY, MADRAS. CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, IARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE, AND

BORDEAUX. PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA. ON WEDNESDAY, the 20th September, 1893, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "NATAL," Commandant Verron, with Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in

transit through Marseilles for the principal Places of Europe.
Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Siemeson & Co.... Quick despatch. Jardine, Matheson & Co.... On 12th inst., at Noon. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 19th Sep tember. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Psukages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 8th September, 1898. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. HE Steamship

"PORT ALBERT! Cantain C. E. Bird R. N.R., will sail on WED. (Taking Passengers and Cargo for TOURANE NESDAY, the 20th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL, & Co., Hongkong. 8th September, 1893.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVI-GATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL. ■ HE Company's Steamship

"KAISOW." J. Gray, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 22nd inst. For Freight apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CU., Hongkong, 5th September, 1893. "SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

S.S. TROCAS S.S. MUREX S.S. SPONDILUS S.S. TURBO BS, ELAX S.S. CONCH S.S. VOLUTE S.S. OLAM S.S. BULLMOUTH

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1893.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

EMPRESS OF JAPAN ... Wadnesday 4th Oct.

EMPRESS OF CHINA... Wednesday lat Nov. EMPRESS OF INDIA ... Wodnesday 29th Nov.

THE R.M. S.

"EMPRESS OF JAPAN," Commander F. G. Montsarrat, R.N.R., sailing at Noon on WEDNESDAY, the 4th OCTOBER, 1893, with Her Majesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOUVER, VIA SHANGHAI, KOBE,

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Office with address marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day previous to sailing. EXCURSIONS TO JAPAN.—During the Sum-

kong to Kobe and back occupying 13 to 14 days. Return Fare 375.00. For further information as to Passage and

Freight, apply to D. E. BROWN,

General Agent. Hongkong, 7th September, 1893.

"JOHN CURRIER," Lawrence, Master, shortly expected, will load here for the above port and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

CARLOWITZ & CO. Hongkong, 25th August, 1893. FOR LONDON DIRECT. THE German Barkentine

Built of Iron, Classed AA. 1, Captain T. Lammers, shortly expected from the North, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick AND COMMENCED CRIGINAL PUBLICATION IN

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FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/8 L.I.I. American Bark "FREE HAN." Gerrich, Master, will load here for the above

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN A Fo. Hongkong, 3rd August, 1893. FOR NEW YORK, THE 3/3 L.I.I. British Ship

"CREEDMOOR' Kennedy, Master, will lead here for the above Port and will have quick despatch. For k reight, apply to STEMSSEN & CO.

Hongkoug, 21st August, 1893. NOTICES TO CONSIGN SEE. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM N V GATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNED. FROM GLASGO V, LIVERPO ... AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship

"MOYUNE" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Kowleon, whence de-livery may be obtained.

No Comma will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be

sent in to the Office of the Undersigne! before Noon on the 10th inst, or they will not be All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godewns, where they will be examined on the 9th inst., at 3 o'clock P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 10th inst, will be subject to rent. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD; KARBERG & Co., Hougkong, 4th September, 1893. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SING A PORE.

THE Steamship "KUTSANG." having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 7th instant at Noon will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.

No Fire Insurance will be offected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Uongkong, 5th September, 1893.

STEAMSHIP "OCEANIEN."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex S.S. Manche and Guadalquivir, from Havre ex S.S. Guadalquivir from Bordeaux ex S.S. Verbeckmoes and Ville Dunkerque in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf

and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately ofter landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-DAY (WEDNESDAY), requesting it to be ianded here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned,

Goods remaining unclaimed after WEDNES-DAY, the 13th inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before WEDNESDAY, the 13th inst.; or they will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined on TUESDAY, the 12th inst., at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 6th September, 1893.

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